

Bruce Catton Says:

A Quiet Smith Is Loud Noise in Congress

WASHINGTON — Congressman Howard Worth Smith of Virginia is one of the most quiet men in Congress. He seldom makes a speech, even when he is running for office; except for his old-style wing collar and the black ribbon to his glasses, which momentarily catch a casual eye scanning the monotonous uniformity of the House, you could attend the greater part of an entire sitting without ever noticing him.

Refunding Bill Is Signed; Litigation Started at Once

Outstanding Highway Bonds Ordered Called in by August 30

M'KASKLE IN SUIT

Former Assistant Welfare Commissioner Opens Unfriendly Suit

BULLETIN

LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — State Senator Joe Kinsey, of Magnolia Cove, announced Monday petitions to refer to the people the \$100-million-dollar refunding act passed by the recent legislature would be put in circulation Tuesday or Wednesday. Kinsey said an organization to sponsor the petitions had been formed with headquarters in the Pyramid building here. The senator was named chairman.

Governor Bailey signed into law late Saturday the \$140,000,000 highway bond refunding bill and four later carried to the Arkansas Supreme Court a friendly suit to test the validity of his refunding program.

A day of whirlwind action in connection with the refunding program saw the following other developments:

1. The State Board of Finance approved unanimously an executive order by Governor Bailey authorizing issuance of \$140,000,000 in general refunding bonds.

2. The State Refunding Board instructed Secretary C. T. Ryan to call in not later than August 30 all outstanding highway obligations.

3. Herman E. McKaskle, former assistant state welfare commissioner and an active foe of the refunding program, filed a suit in Pulaski Chancery court asking that Governor Bailey and the State Board of Finance be restrained from proceeding with the refunding.

Chancellor Dodge paved the way for the supreme court appeal and possible decision within two weeks by sustaining a demurrer of the governor to the friendly suit brought by the latter's lawyers. Judge Dodge's ruling upheld the new act and the executive order for the sale of the bonds.

The supreme court will cut short its summer vacation to start deliberating the test suit August 14. Before recessing July 10 the justices indicated a decision might be handed down in two or three days after reconvening. The governor's lawyers said they probably would file their supreme court briefs Tuesday or Wednesday.

34 Hope Citizens Visit World Fair

List of Those Who Registered at Arkansas State Exhibit

Thirty-four residents and former residents of Hope visited the Arkansas Exhibit at the New York World's Fair last week. They were:

John G. Dowd, Mrs. J. A. Henry, Mrs. T. R. King, Patricia Duffie, June Orton, Gwendolyn Evans, Sarah Ann Holland, Mary Sue Anderson, Nancy Faye Williams, Marie Cross, Mary Ross McFadden, Rosalyn Hall, Mrs. Ched Hall, Martha White, Nancy Sue Robins, Mary Wilson, Mrs. C. C. McNeill, Peggy McNeill, Lillie Allen, Bessie Green, Mrs. George Green, Mabel Elbridge, Mrs. J. B. Williams, Marjorie Dilly, Mary Della Carrigan, Mrs. Steve Carrigan, Jr., Beryl Henry, Harriet Story, Opal Garner, Naomi Turner, Evan Jones O'Neil, David O'Neil, Hope, Ark., and G. L. Ayers, Shreveport, La., and Mrs. Lynn Briggs, New York City, both former residents of Hope.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

If you have been reading this newspaper thoroughly, you should be able to answer all the questions in this quiz. Recent news provides the subject matter.

1. Home town of Governor Dickinson of Michigan, campaigner against "high life" is Charlotte, Lausane, Ann Arbor, Hillsdale.

2. British official who admitted discussing disarmament loan to Germany was (H. S. Hudson, Anthony Eden, Stanley Baldwin, Arthur Greenwood).

3. A snow avalanche buried members of a college party attempting to scale Mount Olympus, Mount Baker, Mount Pleasant, Mount Rainier.

4. Rev. Gerold Goldner, kidnapped by Arabs in Palestine, is minister of a church at (Cleveland, Ohio; Akron, Ohio; Toledo, Ohio; Mogadore, Ohio).

5. Stanley Dobruk, 11-year-old farm boy of Mt. Clemens, Mich., said he accidentally shot, killed his sister in argument over (which should run an errand, an article of clothing, a 2-cent debt, a story book).

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Hope Star

WEATHER: Arkansas—Partly cloudy, local thundershowers in northwest portion Monday night; Tuesday mostly cloudy, thundershowers, cooler in west and north portions.

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LECHE IS INDICTED

Louisiana-Nevada Gas Line Hearing Is Opened

State Commission Begins Hearing on Second Hope Line

New Concern Offers Industrial Rate of 10c Against 14 1/2c

TO LAST TWO DAYS

Expect Little Rock Hearing to Run Through Tuesday or Wednesday

LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — The State Utilities Commission opened its hearing Monday on the application of the Louisiana-Nevada Transit Company for a permit to construct a natural gas pipeline from north Louisiana to Hope and Okay, Ark.

The applicant proposes to furnish fuel to the Ideal Cement company, at Okay, the Hope Brick company and the Hope Water & Light plant. The Arkansas-Louisiana Gas company opposes the application.

The Arkansas-Louisiana company charges 14.5 cents per thousand cubic feet for gas in south Arkansas. The Louisiana-Nevada company proposes to furnish it for 10 cents per thousand.

Members of the commission predicted the hearing would last two days or longer.

Dixie Davis Weds His Follies Flame

Hope Dare Becomes Bride of Schultz' Former Kid Mouthpiece

NEW YORK — (AP) — Dixie Davis, who courted Hope Dare while dodging the law and on brief leaves from jail over a hectic three-year period, married her Sunday, a police judge performing the ceremony with two detectives as witnesses.

Their goldfish-bowl romance, more widely publicized than a glamour girl's, was climaxed in suburban Nyack, Rockland county, where they obtained a license Friday under their correct names—Julius Davis and Julia Ricker. District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey's office, maintaining a protective guard over Davis, disclosed the wedding, attended by one of the detectives who arrested the disgraced racketeer lawyer and his red-haired ex-showgirl sweetheart in a Philadelphia hideaway February 2, 1938.

Hatch Law Not to Apply Conventions

Safe for Federal Employees to Attend Young Democrats' Meet

WASHINGTON — (AP) — An official said Sunday night it was "generally felt" at the Department of Justice that the Hatch law would not prevent federal employees from participating in the Young Democrats' national convention at Pittsburgh this week. The official said no formal statement would be made until an actual case had been presented to the department, but it was believed that jobholders would not endanger their positions by taking part in voting delegates.

This view was based, it was explained, on the belief that the Hatch law, signed by President Roosevelt last Wednesday, was intended to apply to campaigns for office. A delegate to the Young Democrats' meeting does not necessarily seek election and no office is involved, the official said.

Federal Probe of Gangland Pushed

30 Policemen Guard Witnesses as U. S. Grand Jury Meets in N. Y.

NEW YORK — (AP) — The nation's greatest assault on organized crime, delving into underworld terrorism in half a dozen major cities, opened Monday with the presentation of a 500,000-word "encyclopedia of crime" before a special federal grand jury. Thirty policemen were assigned to guard witnesses in the sweeping investigation.

Helis No Stranger to Courts, as 'Hot Oil' Investigation by U. S. Begins in Louisiana

Second of Three Articles on the Man of Mystery

Helis' Story Paralleled by Leche Indictment Monday

"GREEK VS. GREEK"

Friend Sued Helis, But He Won, Only to Lose on Appeal

This is the second of a series of three stories on fabulous Bill Helis, Louisiana oil king.

BY MASON DIXON
NEA Service Special Correspondent
NEW ORLEANS — The career of Bill Helis, whose name looms large these days as Louisiana watches the federal "hot oil" investigation, has not always been peaceful.

Back in February, 1937, he was defendant in a suit before the United States district court in New Orleans. Plaintiffs were four Houston, Texas, men—A. L. Mitchell, A. B. Mhoon, Y. D. Spell and Bryan Ward—former owners of a rich, 60-acre oil lease in the Iberia parish field of Louisiana.

One hundred thousand dollars hung on the difference between "calculated by" and "through." The plaintiffs considered that Helis had agreed to pay them \$200,000 for the well he was paying them \$200,000 for the well he was barrels of oil a day, but \$400,000 if it produced more than that, as "calculated by" the flow through a choke three-eighths of an inch in diameter. Helis contended the well produced less than 3,000 barrels of oil a day "through" the choke.

Helis won the battle, but the plaintiffs appealed and on March 25, 1939, the United States circuit court of appeals reversed the decision with a ruling that "no well in Louisiana could produce 3,000 barrels a day through a three-eighths inch choke." Helis petitioned that the circuit court review its decision, but the plea was refused.

Greek Meets Greek in Court
Helis has had other troubles too. On May 30, 1937, George Cotros, a fellow Greek, of Memphis, Tenn., sued in district court at New Orleans to be recognized as part owner of the Bolivar tract in Iberia parish field. Cotros charged that "having complete confidence" in Helis, he had loaned Helis \$10,000 on verbal contract to drill an oil well on the tract. Helis had returned his \$10,000, Cotros claimed, telling him the well was going to be a failure, a dry hole and that he was returning Cotros' money because he "knew that Cotros couldn't stand such a loss."

One week later the well hit oil, averred Cotros, and because Helis had information about the well that Cotros didn't have when Helis sent the \$10,000 back to Cotros, Cotros charged that he had been defrauded of his share in the producing well.

On March 28, 1939, Judge Wayne C. Borah decided against Cotros, stating that "no evidence of a contract has been presented."

Helis has been one of the biggest contributors to the Democratic National Committee's war chest. Official figures, listed in a January story from Washington, show that he contributed \$5,000. Unofficially, one hears that Jim Farley must get a laugh out of that figure.

In 1938, according to friends of Helis, he sent an agent to Scotland and purchased outright the great Whaley distillery of Leith. They say that the oil man had decided two things—first, that Scotland was a good place to invest money; secondly that world-wide demand for Scotch whiskey wouldn't slacken. When Helis names an agent, he trusts him to the limit; if he can't he fires him.

William "Red" Smith is second in command of the Helis oil properties. They are conducted by the Lincoln Oil Co., Inc., which maintains offices in the Whitney National Bank building in New Orleans.

Since April, 1939, Bill Helis has been in Greece. In all that time his closest friends here say "Red" Smith hasn't even received a postcard from the boss. Bill lets "Red" run the job alone, no long letters, no cablegrams, no radio messages, no trans-Atlantic telephone calls.

The Lincoln Oil Co., is so named because Helis believes Abraham Lincoln was the greatest American who

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Mrs. Roland Brown (Marie Helis), wife of movie director, attractive oil king's daughter once was queen of New Orleans carnival ball.

Two-Week Docket of City's Court

Proceedings Hsis Monday and Monday a Week Ago in Hope

Monday's proceedings in Hope Municipal court:

Fred Scott, gaming, plea of guilty, fine \$10.00.

A. B. Finn, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

T. Brown, petit larceny, plea of guilty, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail. Suspended during good behavior.

Bruce Wilkins, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

O. D. Green, traffic violation, forfeited \$1 cash bond for double parking.

Grant Muldrow, traffic violation, forfeited \$1 cash bond for blocking alley.

Jimmie Arnold, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

J. J. Collier, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

State Docket
Allene Cirbo, selling untaxed intoxicating liquor; tried and fined \$250. Notice of appeal, bond fixed at \$350.

C. V. Williams, giving an over-draft, dismissed on payment of costs on motion of deputy prosecuting attorney.

Monday, July 31
City Docket
Ira Isley, disturbing the peace; plea of guilty, fined \$2.50.

Milton Williams, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

Jasper Stuart, forcible entry, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Jasper Stuart, assault and battery, plea of guilty, fined \$2.50.

Howard Turner, gaming, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Elbert Washington, gaming, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

James Coleman, gaming, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Mrs. O. Reed, traffic violation, forfeited \$1 cash bond.

Leonard Roseberry, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

John Schultz, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

Harvey Lester, drunkenness, plea of drunkenness, fined \$10.

John Williams, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Will Gwynn, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Buck Mosier, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fine \$10.

Albert Johnson, drunkenness, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Albert Johnson, possessing untaxed liquor, plea of guilty, fined \$25.

John Perkins, disturbing the peace, plea of guilty and fined \$10.

Earl Conway, petit larceny, plea of guilty and fined \$25, and one day in jail.

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Bill Helis, senior and junior. Father and son look over map of Greek oil fields as they work together.

AFL Consents to Auto Plant Vote

Action Spikes Called Strike at Packard by CIO Unionists

DETROIT, Mich. — (AP) — An official of the AFL-United Auto Workers announced Monday that his union had consented to a "National Labor Relations Board poll of Packard Motor Car company employees, and would not contest similar elections ordered for the Chrysler corporation, the Briggs Manufacturing company, and the Motor Products company plants.

The announcement apparently averted the likelihood of a CIO-UAW strike in the Packard plant, which was authorized Sunday by a vote of the Packard local.

MIND YOUR MANNERS

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Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Does one congratulate the girl whose engagement has been announced?
 2. Is it good manners to say to a woman, "I hear your daughter made a very good marriage?"
 3. After meeting a girl's fiancé, is it good manners to say something nice about him, the next time you are alone with her?
 4. Should you ever feel free to ask a friend how much rent she pays for an apartment?
 5. Should you ever ask a friend what his salary is?
- What would you say if—
- You meet a friend, a woman whose son is about to be married, would you say:
- (a) I hear you are about to lose your son.
- (b) Congratulate Dick for me, I know he's getting a fine wife (c) Well, how do you feel about your son's marrying?

- Answers
1. No. Wish her happiness.
 2. No. Aside from sounding snobbish, it implies she did well to get the man she did.
 3. Yes.
 4. No.
 5. No.
- Best "What would you do" solution—(b).

England Says Jap Raid Deliberate

Sharp Protest Follows Plane Attack on British Merchantmen

SHANGHAI, China. — (AP) — The British accused the Japanese Monday of making a premeditated attack on British interests in air raids Sunday at Ichang in which two British river steamers were destroyed, with the death of four crewmen, the injury of five and damage to the property of the Asiatic Petroleum company.

A strong British protest was lodged with Admiral Koshirō Okawa, commander of Japanese naval forces in China waters, who said he was referring it to army authorities.

Danzig Quits Down

WARSAW, Poland. — (AP) — Polish reports from Danzig Monday said Nazi authorities there had agreed to negotiate the customs dispute precipitated by the Danzig-Polish "herring and margarine war."

This brought an immediate relaxation of tension, although the Polish press voiced irritation at German Nazi activities in Danzig, taking a cue from a speech Sunday by Marshal Edward Smigly-Rydz, commander of the Polish armed forces who used such phrases as "clear warning" and "Polish guns may roar."

British Ships Routed

SHANGHAI, China. — (AP) — Two British Yangtze river steamers were destroyed by Japanese air raiders Sunday and a fresh outbreak of anti-American agitation in North China reported by an American missionary. British naval reports said one Briton was injured and property of the Asiatic Petroleum Company damaged by two air raids which destroyed the steamers near Ichang, about 185 miles upriver from Hankow.

Rear Admiral Holt, commander of Britain's Yangtze river patrol, lodged a strong protest with Admiral Okawa, commander of the Japanese navy in China waters.

The steamers Chia Wo and Kiang Wo, the latter a 2,200-ton vessel, were reduced to burnt out hulks. Belonging to Jardine, Matheson & Co., the steamers normally operated between Hankow and Chungking but due to war conditions they were moored a few miles below Ichang at a spot which had become known as a foreign shipping refuge.

The British gunboat Gannet fought was standing by the hulks and the damaged petroleum company property. The British protest to Admiral Okawa declared no military objectives to

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Former Governor of Louisiana Held in "Hot Oil" Probe

Seymour Weiss Also Indicted by Federal Jury at New Orleans

GOT \$67,000 EACH

So Says Indictment, Charging Shipments to Italy

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — Former Governor Richard W. Leche, who left office just six weeks ago, was indicted by a federal grand jury here Monday along with Seymour Weiss, hotel owner and powerful political figure, on charges of violating the Connally "hot oil" act in a transaction in which each allegedly received \$67,000.

The pair, along with Freeman Burford, wealthy Dallas (Texas) oil operator, and the East Texas Refining company, were charged with conspiracy to violate the federal statute through shipment of large quantities of Louisiana oil through Texas to Italy and other foreign countries in 1936-37.

Additionally, Weiss was charged in another indictment with evading payment of income taxes for 1936.

Congress Quits in Stormy Dispute

Democrats Fight Among Selves at 76th Session Comes to End

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Seventy-sixth Congress adjourned Saturday night after a final furious clash between a New Dealer and administration critics within the Democratic party.

All work completed and the house in recess, the senate heard an exchange between Senator Pepper, Fla., Democrat, and enthusiastic Roosevelt supporter, and a group of other Democrats, which for forensic bitterness eclipsed any of the quarrels of the preceding seven months.

"I am unwilling," the Floridian shouted, "to let this session of Congress end without decrying the unholy alliance of those in and out of Congress who have been willing to scuttle the American government and the American people and jeopardize the peace of the world because they hate Roosevelt and all he stands for."

Pepper deplored "the cold heartlessness with which bitter men make the helpless suffer when they war for power and the presidency of the United States."

New Dismissals Ordered on WPA

18 Months Continuous Service to Result in Loss of Jobs

WASHINGTON (AP) — The WPA Sunday ordered its state administrators to resume dismissal of persons who have been on the work relief rolls continuously for 18 months or more. Col. F. C. Harrington, the work projects commissioner, telegraphed the administrators that the dismissals should be resumed since congress adjourned without changing recently-enacted legislation requiring them.

The dismissals had been suspended by Harrington July 25 pending a final decision by congress on proposals to ease the requirements of the new relief act.

In his telegrams Sunday, the commissioner said: "All relief workers except (war) veterans who have been continuously employed on WPA projects for 18 months or more . . . must be dismissed prior to August 31, and after August 31 all relief workers except veterans who have been continuously employed for 18 months must be discharged at termination of such continuous employment."

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS. — (AP) — October cotton opened Monday at 9.97 and closed at 9.97.

Spot cotton closed quiet five points up, adding 9.25.

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Women's Privilege, Yes, But It's Costly

Jokesmiths would have had a thin time of it during the past 600 or 6000 years if they hadn't had the old standby about the woman's privilege of changing her mind. Through repetition, this prerogative has become as firmly established as the Rock of Gibraltar used to be.

This is all very fine, as far as men go, they are used to it and freely grant it. But there is a side to this changeability which is not so well known. It is the dollars-and-cents cost of it.

If it weren't for the fact that women return one-eighth of the goods they buy in department stores, the cost of these goods would be lower. In other words, the entire sales of one day in eight are sent back. The cost of operating that day is a dead loss. Who pays for it? Why the people who buy the goods—not those who return a lot of them, but all buyers.

These conclusions were reached by the Twentieth Century Fund, a research organization which has been investigating various phases of retailing. The report is not yet final, but it suggests a tremendous source of waste in the returned-goods privilege.

Every buyers, this preliminary report points out, who orders several articles on approval, intending to buy only one, or who returns an article several times because it does not suit her, is adding materially to the general cost of distribution.

All this would be all right of course if the people who do the returning paid for the extra service. But they don't. All customers pay their share of it. Even those who never use it.

The odd thing about this survey is that almost half of the women interviewed admitted that they themselves were at fault, others variously blaming the retailer, manufacturer, salespeople, or the state of their bunions.

At a time when the whole distributive system is being studied with a view to cutting its cost and thereby widening it, this is an interesting sidelight.

And it reveals again one reason why things are high in the United States is because the people of this country have been accustomed to, and demand, levels of service, convenience and choice unknown elsewhere.

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MAP PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured is the map of —, South America.

6 Pig.

8 This republic once belonged to —.

13 To tear.

14 To wed.

16 Poker stake.

17 Boy.

18 To saturate.

19 Falsehood.

20 South Africa.

21 Cotton machines.

23 Security for a prisoner.

25 Mother.

27 Festival.

28 To cut grass.

30 Closer.

32 First.

34 To pull.

35 Sun deity.

36 Convent dweller.

37 Small hotels.

39 Norse mythology.

40 Bashful.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

CARTER RIA E
RENTED END PO
SA AIL
I INDEPENDENT A
DISSIDENT CERTIFY
UN ARCS POA M
ANA MERINOS ALE
RIP ISOLATE DIN
YEARS LEG SAINT
ICRO TENOR SEE
BEATER TREASURY

42 Some.

43 To move onward.

45 To countersink.

47 Amidic.

48 Bushel (abbr.).

49 Liquid part of fat.

51 Poisonous snake.

53 Frenzy.

55 Tree, genus Ulmus.

56 Candid.

58 Males.

59 This land's chief seaport.

60 Its unit of currency.

VERTICAL

1 Credit.

2 Bean eyes.

3 Herb.

4 Account book.

5 Third-rate actors.

6 Eye.

7 Wormlike larva.

9 Paleness.

10 Cuckoo.

11 Newspaper.

12 New England.

14 Its land is rich in —.

15 Yes.

20 Its capital.

22 Passage.

24 Little demons.

26 The highest peak in the Americas, Chile.

27 Cringes.

29 Swept by wind.

31 Age.

33 Mire.

38 Small crustacean.

39 To form a camp.

41 Japanese coin.

42 Intention.

43 Olive tree.

46 Wrongs.

47 Common honeybee.

48 Coal boxes.

50 Measure.

52 Monkey.

54 Born.

56 Pair.

57 Negative.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

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By DR. MORRIS FISHER
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Eliminate Breeding Places If You'd Be Rid of Dangerous House Flies

In order to control the birth and distribution of flies it is necessary first of all to control the places in which they breed. They breed not only in manure of all types, but also around the corpses of animals, feed troughs, in waste feed, in garbage cans and in similar places. The old exposed box, basket, or can which used to be used for refuse is thus a menace to the household.

A good garbage can with a tight-fitting lid should, therefore, be provided for every household in ever community. Moreover, all liquid matter should be drained from kitchen refuse and only solid materials, preferably put first in newspapers or otherwise wrapped, should be put in the garbage can.

This may seem like a lot of trouble, but it will be found worthwhile not only from the point of view of preventing flies, but also from the point of view of eliminating odors and attracting insects, mice and rats. Garbage should never be allowed to accumulate in piles in the backyard or in the alley.

The addition of a small quantity of turpentine to vessels which contain kitchen slops or sprayed over garbage material will serve to repel flies, and is also harmless.

Purveyors of fruits and vegetables and of food and other materials should be compelled to dispose properly of decaying vegetables and fruits, as well as of straw and weeds. These may be sprayed with crude oil under suitable control and burned, and preferably should be disposed of before they can become a breeding place for flies.

In some rural areas sewer water or dish water is permitted to drain from kitchen sinks and toilets to a pool or ditch not too far removed from the house. Should such a pool or ditch become clogged, it becomes a breeding place for maggots and flies.

The house fly can be carried by the wind and can fly a fairly large distance

OUR BOARDING HOUSE ... with ... MAJOR HOOPLE

DAGGONS, THESE PIGS SHORE KIN FLY! I RAN THIS CRITTER TWO MILE AFORE I SWAGGED HIM—THAT OTHER SHOOT GOT CLEAN AWAY—LAST I SEE HE WAS ABOUT AS BIG AS A 'TATO BUG, AN' GITTIN' SMALLER! WELL, I CAN'T TALLY HERE—DUE IN CROKERS GROVE TONIGHT—HATE T' LOSE THAT OTHER FELLER—HE SHORE WOULD MAKE A SMART ROAST!

EGAD, ARTEMUS, THAT PORKER WAS A VERTABLE PEGASUS—HAW! IF WE APPREHEND HIM WE WILL APPRISE YOU—YOU WILL BE PASSING THIS WAY AGAIN, NO DOUBT—HAR-RUMPH! DROP IN FOR A SHORE DINNER!

THAT PIG RAMBLE SO FAS! HE KIN KICK CLODS IN MAN O' WAIN'S FACE! I KETCH AFOOT! O' HIS TAIL ONCE BUT AHM SO PROUD I'M FATIGUE I CAN'T HANG ON! MAH UNCLE OUTLAND SAY WEN DEM PIGS IS LOOSE IN TH' WOODS TO A SPELL, DEY GITS WILD AS TIGARS! WUINNER EF THEY GITS STRIPES?

THAT PIG WAS NO SAUSAGE!

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ANSWER TO CRANIUM CRACKER

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Answers

- Governor Dickinson's home is in Charlotte, Mich.
- British official admitting discussing loan to Germany is R. S. Hudson.
- Snow avalanche buried party attempting to scale Mount Baker.
- Fev. Golden is minister of a church in Mogadore, Ohio.
- A 2-cent debt was the cause of the argument.

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If anybody makes loans on a more liberal basis that we are making them now, they will be grants—they will not be loans.—RFC Chairman Jesse Jones, on the proposed government lending plan.

There should be moments of escape when the soul would rise above the earthy things.—Suzanne Silvercruys, Belgian sculptress.

The Pacific cannot be a Utopia, but it can be a good, neighborly region.—Prof. Stanley H. Roberts, professor of modern history at Sydney (Australia) University.

I have learned in recent years what

OUR BOARDING HOUSE ... with ... MAJOR HOOPLE

DAGGONS, THESE PIGS SHORE KIN FLY! I RAN THIS CRITTER TWO MILE AFORE I SWAGGED HIM—THAT OTHER SHOOT GOT CLEAN AWAY—LAST I SEE HE WAS ABOUT AS BIG AS A 'TATO BUG, AN' GITTIN' SMALLER! WELL, I CAN'T TALLY HERE—DUE IN CROKERS GROVE TONIGHT—HATE T' LOSE THAT OTHER FELLER—HE SHORE WOULD MAKE A SMART ROAST!

EGAD, ARTEMUS, THAT PORKER WAS A VERTABLE PEGASUS—HAW! IF WE APPREHEND HIM WE WILL APPRISE YOU—YOU WILL BE PASSING THIS WAY AGAIN, NO DOUBT—HAR-RUMPH! DROP IN FOR A SHORE DINNER!

THAT PIG RAMBLE SO FAS! HE KIN KICK CLODS IN MAN O' WAIN'S FACE! I KETCH AFOOT! O' HIS TAIL ONCE BUT AHM SO PROUD I'M FATIGUE I CAN'T HANG ON! MAH UNCLE OUTLAND SAY WEN DEM PIGS IS LOOSE IN TH' WOODS TO A SPELL, DEY GITS WILD AS TIGARS! WUINNER EF THEY GITS STRIPES?

THAT PIG WAS NO SAUSAGE!

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

HOW IS HE NOW, JEANIE? HE JUST LIES THERE.

OH! HE DOESN'T EVEN SAY "HUG" ANY MORE—WHY EVER THAT MEANS.

BUT IT IS WELL THAT IS GOOD SIGN! HE GET BETTER NOW.

THEN I GO.

ALLEY OOP

WHEN ONLY DR. BRONSON'S DID! SUN HE MET "CAME BACK! ALLEY OOP! ENTERED THE TIME-MACHINE TO GO TO THE RESCUE OF THE SCIENTIST MAROONED SOMEWHERE IN TIME....

YES—AND LIME BRONSON, THIS IS THE LAST WE'LL EVER SEE OF HIM!

I DON'T KNOW WHY WE PERMIT WOUNMUG TO DO THIS!

WASH TUBBS

DON'T SHOOT, PLEASE! PLEASE!

WE CAN EXPLAIN EVERYTHING!

I'VE WAITED FIVE LONG YEARS FOR THIS, YOU DOGS! THE TIME HAS COME FOR YOU TO SQUIRM AND SQUEAL.

IN THE NAME OF HEAVEN, LISTEN!

WE DIDN'T MEAN TO SEND YOU TO PRISON, RUBY—WE'LL REPAY EVERY CENT OF MONEY MORE!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WE'RE ON A SCAVENGER HUNT! HAVE YOU GOT A COPY OF A NEWSPAPER DATED NOVEMBER 11, 1918?

I NEVER GOT ANY OF THE LATE PAPERS!

HAVE YOU GOT A HAWK'S FEATHER, OR A COFFEE GRINDER, OR A MUSTACHE CUP?

NOPE!

RED RYDER

YAGUI! THE STAGE IS ALREADY ROBBED BY THAT LONE BANDIT!

YES—COME ON! GET HEEM!

THE HEARING THAT YAGUI JOE AND HIS BANDITS PLAN TO HOLD UP THE LA BODA STAGE, RED RYDER FORMING AS A BANDIT, KIDNAPED THE STAGE OF ITS FIFTY THOUSAND IN GOLD AS YAGUI'S KILLERS SUDDENLY SWOP DOWN.

OUT OUR WAY

IT OUGHT TO BE EASY TO FIND THAT PICKLE RELISH—THERE'S ONLY ONE JAR OF IT LEFT!

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ON THE MAINLAND, MEBBE THEY TELL ME WHO HE IS

AND HE WILL SURPLY BE VERY SURPRISED MAN WHEN HE FIND OUT

Ooo! GOOD GOSH! I MUST BE— WHERE AM I?

SAY! THIS AIN'T MOO!

SEE, I HAVE IT HIDDEN BEHIND THIS WASHSTAND, I'LL GET IT. AH, YES. THE MONEY. HA! YOU THOUGHT YOU HAD ME! KA-POW! POW!

MEANWHILE—

I RECKON ITS ONE O' THEM THINGS WITH HORNS, BUT WHERE IN TOWPET KIN I FIND ME A MOOSE?

YAGUI! HE EES SAME GRINGO THAT STEAL MY SWEET-HEART, EAGEL, KEEL HEEM!

KEEL—HEEM? NO, PEDRO? HE EES MUY HORRIBLE! I HAVE BETTER IDEA!

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Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

This Life Is What We Make It

Let's often talk of noble deeds, And sing about our happy days, And not about the sad ones. We were not made to fret and sigh, And when grief sleeps it wake it. Bright happiness is standing by— This life is what we make it. Let's find the sunny side of men, Or be believers in it. A light there is in every soul, That takes the pains to win it. O! there's a shimmering gold in all And we'll purchase it with our tears. Then here's to these loving hearts, Shed light and joy about them! Thanks be to them for countless joys We never had known without them. O, this would be a happy world To all who may partake it. The fault's our own if it is not— This life is what we make it. Selected.

Sheriff and Mrs. Clarence Baker left Saturday for a week's vacation in Hot Springs.

Mrs. R. C. Waller of Warren is a guest in the home of Mr. R. C. Ellen.

The Clara Lowthrop chapter, C. of C. will entertain with its annual picnic and swim at the Pines Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. For transportation all members are requested to meet at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meek and daughter, Carolyn, of Bradley, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. G. McIntee.

Triop 1 of the Girl Scouts enjoyed a very delightful book party on Thursday evening at The Little House in Fair Park. Members of the party were Sarah Jane Murphy, Marilyn Irwin, Margaret Bush, Rosa Myra Dossett, Frances Green Williams, Virginia O'Neil, Dorothy Dadds, Marian Grubbs, Mary Jane Hoome, Nancy Jo Coleman, Mary Lee Cook, Marjorie Eason, Norma Duke, June Duke, Jillye James, Betty Moun, Elizabeth Rhea Wiggins, Shirley Gibson of Fayetteville and Agnes Jamison of Fort Smith.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brindwell has returned from a visit to the World's Fair in New York city and other points of interest.

RIALTO

Double Feature

NELSON EDDY

"Let Freedom Ring"

—And—

LEE TRACY
ALLAN LANE

"Spellbinder"

SAINGER

MONDAY-TUESDAY

ANDY HARDY WANTS TO GET MARRIED NOW, FOLKS!

He's 17... and the love bug's really bitten him! It's a riot! It's swell!

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WEDNESDAY

"GRACIE ALLEN MURDER CASE"

Women Simply Can't Resist the "Come Here to Me Water"

With eyes and ears attuned to the ways of the people he knows best, Ben Lucien Burman continues his steamboat tour of the Mississippi and tells, today, funny stories of the river. This is the last of three articles prepared exclusively for NEA Service and this newspaper by the celebrated novelist whom critics hail as the "new Mark Twain."

BY BEN LUCIEN BURMAN

Written for NEA Service

When the packetboat Tennessee Belle operating from New Orleans to Greenville, Mississippi, isn't carrying passengers at the moment she is too busy with freight, but is likely to begin again at any time.

The Belle, on which I have served as cabin boy, is the queen of the lower river. Her gay master, Captain Dick Di-cherry, is a figure out of a Dumas novel, and her sedate, dryly humorous pilot, Captain Charley Barker, is a page from Mark Twain.

Even the roustabouts, Baby Face, Sixty-One, Goldbottom, Piece of Man, have caught the gay, carefree spirit of their masters.

And of course there is my roustabout friend, old Uncle Jesse, always with some idea, new and startling.

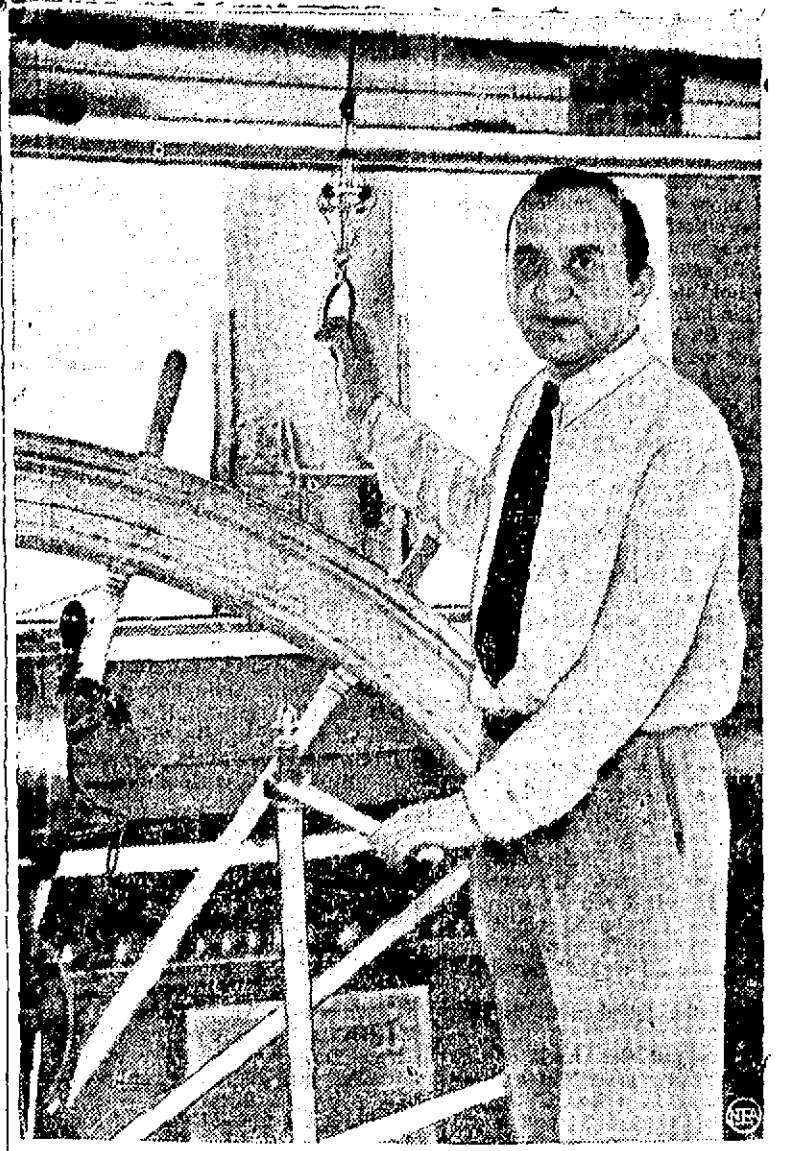
Uncle Jesse was a little worried, because I did not seem to be paying much attention to the ladies, and one afternoon he turned to me gravely.

"Captain, why don't you get yourself some of this here come to me water?" he asked. "It's wonderful, this come here to me water. When I gets ready to come uptown in New Orleans I puts a drop of it on by coat lapel, and when I walks on Canal street, ain't a colored girl passes she don't turn her head."

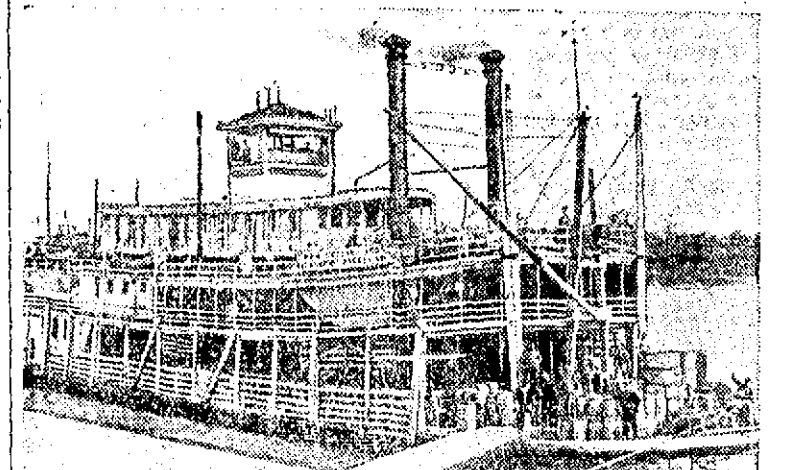
"And the white people uses it a plenty too. Every Friday night, if you goes by them big New Orleans department stores you can see them taking big buckets of this come here to me water and splinking it on the doorsteps. And Saturday mornings there's such crowds in them stores you can't get a rooster inside. It's sure wonderful this come here to me water."

"Judgment Day" on the River. Like the Golden Eagle and the Gordon Greene, the Tennessee Belle is a limitless mine of story and legend, fact and fancy.

You can learn from Captain Dick or his followers about the habits of the wily raccoons, who when he fancies some honey, studies the direction in



When a distinguished committee gave Ben Lucien Burman's most recent novel, "Boy for a Landing," the Southern Author's Award for the Best book of 1938, it was recognition of the authenticity of his writing. For Burman—pictured above at the helm of the river steamer, Gordon C. Greene—actually has served as a cub pilot on the Mississippi.

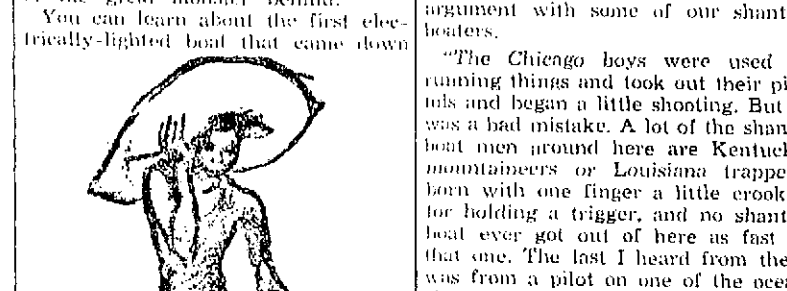


The Packetboat, Tennessee Belle . . . Queen of the lower river

which two bees are flying and locates the hives by watching where the lines of their flight cross. This scouting work completed, the "coon rolls himself in a mud bank until he is completely encased in a clay armor, then goes to make a raid on the treasure trove.

Or you can learn how the panther ut in the cypress swamps beyond the levees, is one of the world's best ventriloquists, and by putting his paws in front of his mouth just before issuing his blood-curdling cry, is so able to throw his voice that the deer or human he is pursuing is baffled to find from which direction the danger is approaching; while the victim's confused mind is still searching for a way to escape, he is felled by a spring of the great monster behind.

You can learn about the first electrically-lighted boat that came down the river.



Even the roustabout has caught the carefree spirit of his masters. The river with the first searchlight blazing at her prow, causing the negroes and the poor whites on the bank to flee in terror, for they thought it was the day of judgment with the Lord picking out the good people from the bad.

You can learn about the famous goats of the Anchor line, those white immaculate wanderers who were the Indian bulls of the river. The goats would patronizingly stay aboard a boat of the line as long as they were treated in a fashion befitting their stately persons; when they felt themselves slighted or when wanderlust overcame them, they would quickly go ashore and wait at the wharf for another Anchor vessel and when it arrived, walk solemnly on the gang plank. Never did they make a mistake and set a head aboard the vessel of a

Another Is Killed Upon Petit Jean

17-Year-Old Girl Goes Over Falls Where Two Others Died

MORRILLTON, Ark.—Frances Milled Scott, 17, of Rose City, east of North Little Rock, was killed shortly after noon Sunday when she slipped and fell 96 feet over Cedar Falls into the pool in the canyon in the Petit Jean State park, 15 miles southwest of Morrilton.

Miss Scott, accompanied by Otis Stephens and Miss Marguerite Brown and L. D. Holt of Rose City, went to the park to spend the day and had gone down Cedar creek to view the place where Miss Geraldine Shaw and her brother, Rodney Shaw, both of Conway, fell over the falls last Sunday. Miss Scott slipped on the moss-covered wet stones approximately 10 feet from the falls. Stephens attempted to reach her, but she slid over the falls before he could get to her. Stephens fell but grabbed a small tree, which prevented his going over the falls.

Stephens reported two unknown men took Miss Scott's body and placed it on the side of the pool. They had gone when he reached the bottom of the canyon approximately eight minutes after the accident. He told enrollees from the VCCC camp, who answered his call for help that Miss Scott showed no signs of life after entering the pool. The VCCC men, with the aid of visitors, worked for more than an hour in an effort to revive Miss Scott by artificial respiration but without results.

Dr. T. W. Hardison, chairman of the Arkansas State Parks Commission, who lives on Petit Jean mountain near the park, said all four accidents which have occurred in the park this year, in which persons fell into the Cedar Falls' canyon, were off of the system of well defined trails which have been established in the park by the VCCC camp, under the direction of the National Park Service. In response to the suggestion that iron railing be constructed to protect visitors from falling into the canyon, Dr. Hardison called attention to the fact the gorges in the park cover a distance of 20 miles and that these would have to be fenced under such a plan. There is little danger of accidents as long as the regular trails in the park are used by visitors, the record of the park revealed, he said.

saucers on the shelves in the cook-house that there's a mighty fine pilot. That there's a man that will never get you into no kind of trouble.

"But if he's one of them pilots that blows her quick, so that she just gives a squeak like a cat when you step on her, git off that boat as quick as you can. Cause that's a mean man, a smart cack man. The Lord don't like that kind of pilot and he's going to sink that boat sure."

THE END

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Canadian Ship in Iceberg Collision

Freight Beaverhill Reported Proceeding Under Own Power, However

BOSTON, Mass.—(AP)—The 503-foot Canadian Pacific Steamship Lines' freighter, Beaverhill, bound from Montreal to London, struck an iceberg early Monday off the northeast coast of Newfoundland, but several hours later was reported in no immediate danger.

The coast guard said she was proceeding. Radio messages ashore gave few details of the accident, and none to explain whether the Beaverhill had been badly damaged.

"Good morning, Mrs. Kelly," said the doctor, "did you take your husband's temperature as I told you?" "Yes, doctor, I borrowed a barometer and placed it on his chest, and it said 'very dry', so I bought him a pint of beer and now he's gone back to work."

Urey Woodson, Former Alien Custodian, Dies

OWENSBORO, Ky.—(AP)—Urey Woodson, 78, former Owensboro newspaper publisher who resigned recently as federal alien property custodian, died at his home early Monday of heart disease.

A colored preacher at the close of his sermon discovered one of his deacons asleep. He said: "We will now have a few minutes of prayer, Deacon Brown will lead."

"Lead," said Deacon Brown suddenly awakening. "I just dealt."

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Nashville Defeats Robins Team, 5-1

McClain and Phillips Get Two Hits Each for Visitors Sunday

Nashville defeated the Robins baseball team 5 to 1 at Fair park Sunday afternoon.

McClain and Phillips led the Robins batters with two hits each. Robins, Nashville pitcher, struck out 9 and allowed 6 hits.

Batteries: Robins—Murphy and Secest.

Nashville—Rossion and McClain.

Former Hope Girl Is Champ Typist

Mrs. P. O. Burt, Former Tanalia Berry, Wins at Fort Worth

Mrs. P. O. Burt, the former Tanalia Berry of Hope, daughter of the late R. N. Berry and Mrs. Berry, won the Fort Worth Press contest for the best typist in Fort Worth, according to Saturday's edition of the Texas newspaper.

Mrs. Burt will receive an all-expense trip to the Canadian National Exposition in Toronto, Ontario, and will take part in an international typing marathon in the Canadian city August 25-September 9.

The Ft. Worth contest was staged by the Press and the Brantley-Draughlin Business college, and the winner used a Remington typewriter.

In 1936 there were 61 net incomes of a million or more in the United States, compared with 41 in 1935, and 33 in 1934.

NEW LAST TIMES MONDAY

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STANDINGS

Hope Softball League

Class A League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Bruner-Ivory	0	0	.000	
Leo Robins	0	0	.000	

Class B League				
Club	W.	L.	Pct.	
Soil Erosion	3	0	1.000	
Geo. W. Robinson	2	2	.500	
American Legion	1	1	.500	
Bruner-Ivory	2	2	.500	
Gunter Bros.	0	3	.000	

Monday Night

Bruner Ivory "B" vs. George Robins 7:45.

American Legion vs. Soil Erosion.

Tuesday Night

Bruner "A" vs. Texarkana.

Wednesday Night

No games scheduled.

Thursday Night

Soil Erosion vs. Bruner Ivory "B"

Geo. Robinson vs. Texarkana.

Friday Night

Bruner Ivory "A" vs. Texarkana.

American Legion vs. Gunter.

Southern Association

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Memphis	64	44	.593
Atlanta	60	51	.541
Nashville	55	48	.534
Chattanooga	58	52	.527
Knoxville	56	54	.509
Birmingham	49	62	.441
Little Rock	46	60	.434
New Orleans	49	66	.426

Sunday's Results

Knoxville 3-3, Little Rock 2-1.

Chattanooga 15-7, Birmingham 2-6.

Atlanta 6-8, New Orleans 5-3.

Memphis 4-6, Nashville 3-4.

Games Monday

Nashville at Little Rock.

Knoxville at Memphis.

Atlanta at Birmingham.

Chattanooga at New Orleans.

National League

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	62	34	.646
St. Louis	53	42	.562
Chicago	53	46	.535
Pittsburgh	49	46	.516
Brooklyn	48	48	.500
New York	48	48	.500
Boston	42	53	.443
Philadelphia	26	67	.280

Sunday's Results

Brooklyn 5-6, Cincinnati 0-8.

St. Louis 11-8, Philadelphia 0-3.

New York 9-0, Pittsburgh 5-6.

Poston 9, Chicago 8.

Games Monday

Boston at Brooklyn.

Only game scheduled.

American League

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	69	30	.697
Boston	60	37	.619
Chicago	55	46	.545
Cleveland	51	47	.520
Detroit	51	48	.515
Washington	45	57	.441
Philadelphia	36	62	.367
St. Louis	29	69	.296

Sunday's Results

Detroit 10-3, Boston 1-8.

St. Louis 11-8, Philadelphia 4-6.

Cleveland 5-7, New York 4-1.

Washington 4, Chicago 3.

Games Monday

No games scheduled.

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Alabama Proposes State Stock Law

Governor Throws His Influence Behind New Fencing Proposal

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Alabama is in the throes of the most impassioned legislative imbroglio since 1931. The cause is a statewide stock law bill that would curtail the state's open cattle ranges.

Alabama now has a precinct-option law and only five counties in the southwest portion of the state maintain an open range. But these are the counties in which the open range is most important and bear the closest relation to the economic well of the section's inhabitants. From these five counties spring the nucleus and substance of the opposition to the law.

Consequently, legislators from these counties, some through conviction, others for political expediency, are shouting that a state-wide law would swell relief rolls.

They have dusted off the local self-government argument and are demanding a county option law. They point out local option is in effect as to liquor and that the legislature should not "ram a stock law down our throats."

Supporters say there is scarcely any reason for enacting a county option law because Alabama already has the equivalent in the precinct-option law.

The statewide stock bill was introduced by Representative Dave Walden, a successful farmer of Henry county, in the "black belt." He made an impressive speech in its favor. He said that his father was implacably opposed to a fencing law in his section and staved it off for years. Finally, it was voted. Three years later he was calling it "the greatest blessing in disguise of his life."

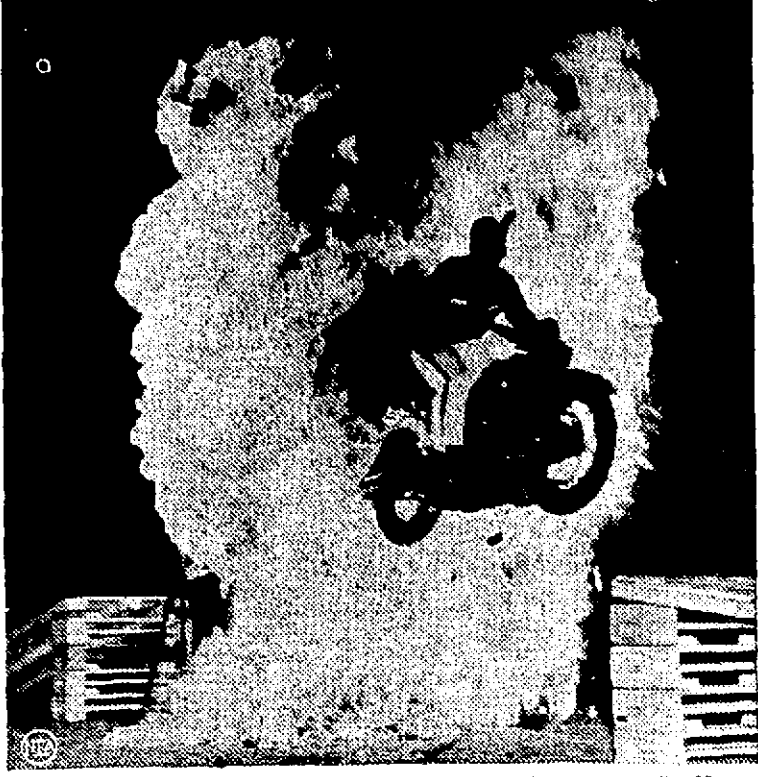
In effect the Walden bill compels stock owners to fence in their animals by November 1, 1940. The bill provides that Alabama's highway patrolmen (140), county and municipal peace officers would be empowered to pick up stray cattle and impound them. The owner could reclaim them for a \$1 fee.

However, it appears likely that the brunt of enforcement will fall on the person whose property is damaged or used illegally. Such persons would be given the right to take up strays from their land and impound them. Before returning the animal to its owner, the impounder may demand compensation for any damage done by the animal and for its feed bill during detention.

In the January session of the legislature such bills came and went without coming to a vote. Gov. Frank M. Dixon, who holds powerful sway over the legislature, was in no position to push the legislation because he was engaged in a stiff fight to enact far-reaching reform legislation.

Italian researchers have developed textile fibers from fish skin.

How to Ride Through Heat Wave



Inaugurating new Capital Speedway at Washington, D. C., Harry Woolman jumped his speeding motorcycle through a flaming hoop, to thrill crowd of 14,000.

RAISING A FAMILY

Tie a "String" of Caution to Your Child's Swimming.

Dear Mrs. Brown:

So the unusual has happened and you and grandma are having it out over Chuck's swimming. What surprises me is that you put it the other way around and say that grandma wants him to have his fun while you are naturally cautious.

A dime will get you ten, that when Chuck's father was a boy, and grandma your age, he had to sneak to the creek and rub dust on his hands and face before he came home. A boy that looked too clean had probably been in swimming. And that meant bed without supper or an extra stint at the woodpile. But grandma has learned.

There is Wess, your husband, the very picture of health now and as strong as an ox. Swimming was good for him, now thinks grandma, and she is afraid you might make a sissy of Chuck.

The lake you camp on is deep, you say. And Chuck takes too many chances. That is, of course, another story. I am just cautious enough myself to put a whole lot of water on the doubtful list. But where there is a share that shelves gradually, or a diving spot that has been checked for bottom rocks, then a young swimmer is usually safe.

But if he ventures off in unknown places, as boys do, that is very dangerous, indeed.

Now, about Billy, age six. If there is no beach and no shallow places for him to wade on your wild lake, I think you are entirely right in making him stick to the creek. I'm sure grandma agrees with that. Keep him out, I advise.

Fortunately, most resorts and camps have their safe spots for bathing. These are marked or made known. That's the place for the children to have a good time. On strange shores I'd tie a string to their big toes, and hold the other end.

Yours Sincerely,
Olive Roberts Barton.

Helis No Stranger

(Continued from Page One)

ever lived. The only work of art in his office is a portrait of Lincoln, painted in oils by his daughter, Esther.

Bill Helis eats, sleeps and dreams oil most of the time.

AHEPA's Patron Saint

But he finds time for other activities. He is the patron saint of the American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association. It has a membership of more than a million voting American citizens of Greek blood.

Helis was consul-general of Greece at New Orleans, and he wanted AHEPA to hold its 1938 national convention in his home town. So in 1936 he started for St. Paul, Minn., where the group was meeting.

There was a wait of a few hours between trains in Chicago. Helis went with a friend, to a Loop hotel and waited in a lobby while his friend got a haircut.

There was a jewelry shop in the lobby. Helis examined an enormous platinum and diamond banquet ring.

"How much is it?" he asked the jeweler, who then began a long sales talk about the historic authenticity of the ring, once the property of a Russian Royal princess.

"That's all right," said Helis. But I'm asking you the price."

The jeweler hesitated and at last said: "Four thousand, four hundred dollars."

"Give me a blank check."

Hastily the jeweler put the ring back into the case. Helis grinned. He pulled a roll of nearly \$2,000 out of his pocket and said: "Telephone my banker in New Orleans. I'll guarantee the cost of the call if you are worried."

The jeweler telephoned while his partner hovered about, worried.

"Is the check all right?" asked the worrier.

"No," said the telephoner. "It isn't big enough."

Helis wrote out the check on the blank the jeweler gave him and received the ring in a box. He thrust it in his pants pocket. He and friend walked to the depot to get the train.

On the way Helis noticed his trousers were baggy at the knees.

"Come in here while I get my pants pressed," he told as the pair passed the front of a cheap cleaning and pressing shop—one of those "while you wait" establishments.

There Helis "sat in a barrel" holding about \$2,000 in currency and a \$400 diamond ring while a clerk gave his pants a pressing for 25 cents.

Won Convention, But Not Presidency

He took the official suite of the governor of Minnesota at the biggest and best hotel in St. Paul, staged a party that lasted three days and three nights

Dog Days



When "Biff," a puppy, got "porky" with a porcupine at Boise, Ida., the above was the painful result. His muzzle full of bristly quills, "Biff" was given an anesthetic, the quills pulled out with pliers.

and won the 1938 AHEPA convention for New Orleans.

Two years later he was official host to the convention. No man knows how many thousands of dollars he spent. He ran for president of the AHEPA, and was beaten by half a vote.

"That's politics," says Helis.

He was in his suite at the Waldorf in New York two years ago when a matronly, gray-haired chambermaid came in on her duties.

"Hello, how's the kid?" asked Helis.

The woman broke into a flood of grateful tears. Thus the oil men learned that Bill Helis had obtained a group of New York's greatest specialists to cure her crippled grandson, about whom he had learned when he asked her what she had been crying about.

He pledged those oil men to silence with ferocious threats of violence, but the story leaked.

NEXT: How Bill Helis lives—privately and personally.

It is believed that John was the only one of Christ's disciples to escape martyrdom.

Governor Picketed by a WPA Group

Pennsylvania Hears Complaint Against Forced Work Order

HARRISBURG, Pa.—(AP)—Pennsylvania's executive mansion was picketed Sunday by approximately 40 unemployed men demanding a special session of the legislature to repeal a new state law that requires all needy to work for relief.

Gov. Arthur H. James is on vacation. Only his daughter, Dorothy, was at home. The group demonstrated for an hour.

The picketers said they propose to ask the American Civil Liberties Committee to co-operate in testing the law, if anyone refuses to work under what the statement called its "work or starve" provisions.

England Says Jap

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warrant attacks were in the vicinity where the raids occurred and that the spot was known as an anchorage of foreign ships.

British reports said the Japanese raiders dropped a few bombs on Ichang but seemed to pay more attention to the anchorage below Ichang and the British oil company property.

The Gannet started for the scene after the first raid but before it reached the spot a second attack by 15 bombers occurred, inflicting more severe damage on the vessels and oil property. One steamer was set fire by the second raid and the flames quickly spread to the other steamer. Skeleton crews aboard the ships escaped unhurt.

Japanese newspapers in Shanghai reported air raids on Ichang but made no mention of damage to British interests.

An American missionary who reached Peiping from Japanese-controlled territory in Shansi province, said demonstrators paraded the streets of Shihchiachwang, 160 miles airline southwest of Peiping, a few days ago shouting anti-American slogans in protest against United States denunciation of her 1911 trade treaty with Japan.

This was the first anti-American demonstration reported north of the Yellow river though reports from Kancheng, a short distance south of the river, have told of such demonstrations there.

Two-Week Docket

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State Docket for July 31

Ford Pennington, grand larceny, plea of guilty, held to grand jury, bond fixed at \$200.

Blanche Kern, assault with intent to kill, examination waived, held to grand jury, bond fixed at \$300.

Silas Kasterling, unlawful detainer, dismissed on motion of prosecuting attorney.

J. G. May, giving an overdraft, dismissed on motion of prosecuting attorney, upon payment of cost.

Emory Muldrow, robbery, examination waived, held to grand jury with bond fixed at \$250.

Emmett Richardson, disturbing the peace, plea of guilty, fined \$25 and one day in jail.

Horace Vines, forgery and uttering, examination waived, held to grand jury, bond fixed at \$200.

Good at Marbles

PORTLAND, Ore.—Mrs. John T. Cooke, mother of the Wimbledon singles finalist, reveals that tennis isn't the only game at which her son excelled.

"He used to leave the house every morning with six marbles," she recalls, "and return with a handful."

She also reveals that Elwood's tennis has never overshadowed his affection for her.

"Elwood was playing Harry Hopman of Australia in the national singles tournament at Forest Hills last summer," she relates. "I told him not to meet me for breakfast the day of the match, but he insisted on waiting, hoping I'd show up. When I didn't come, he played without having had anything to eat . . . and lost."

"Do you love me, darling?"

"You know I do, Harry."

"Harry? My name's Sam."

"Of course! I keep thinking today is Monday!"

Legal Notice

NOTICE

Bids will be received on the wrecking of the Harmony negro school, cleaning of the grounds and building a new building. Bids will close at 10 a. m. August 8, 1939, and then will be opened and contract awarded to lowest responsible bidder. Harmony school board members reserve the right to reject any and all bids. For further information see W. W. Wright, Hope Route Two.

Harmony School District No. 57, Hempstead County, Arkansas. July 24, 31 Aug 7.

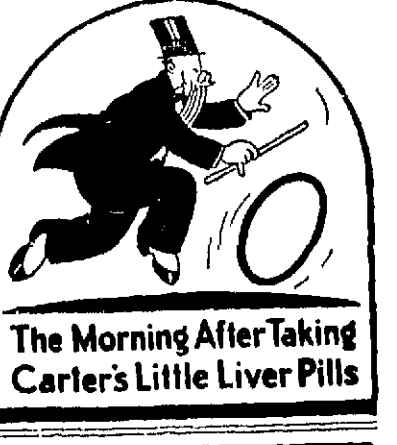
False Alarm

BAXTER SPRINGS, Kas.—(AP)—Reports of an airplane crash sent most of the town's residents on a search of the countryside for the wreckage. It turned out, however, that it merely was a motor-powered model plane whose owner asked the sheriff's office to help find it.

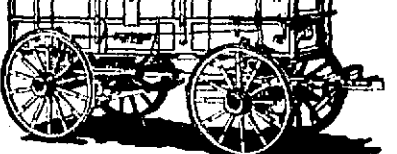
Brown: "So your son had to leave college on account of poor eyesight."

White: "Yes, he mistook the death of women for a codd."

The Oregon logger is also called a "jungle-buzzard," a "timber-beast," a "timberhound," a "woods savage," a "brush-cat," or a "lumberjack."



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SERIAL STORY

WAR AND A WOMAN

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Yesterday, Linda arrives home to find her father still alive. She does not tell him she is not going to marry George. Marcia writes that her wedding has been postponed. Jimmy has been ordered to sea.

CHAPTER X

THERE was more to Marcia's letter, but Linda's eyes stopped reading at the line which said, "Jimmy was ordered to sea Wednesday." For she knew, as surely as if Jimmy himself were standing here, telling her, that this unexpected transfer was something he had somehow engineered himself.

Now that the wedding was to be postponed—now that it wasn't over between herself and him—happiness and hope flooded her for an instant. But Daddy! They could do nothing, she and Jimmy, until Daddy was well. And even then—Jimmy's work stood between them, a concrete wall.

If he'd resign from the Navy. If he'd fit himself for some other career. . . . She couldn't ask that.

When she entered her father's room for the usual morning newspaper reading, she told him casually, "Daddy, Marcia's wedding has been postponed after all. Her fiancé was ordered to sea."

"What does that mean—another mysterious naval order to parade the fleet in front of some foreign country's nose?"

"Oh, no, Daddy. This—" But how could she say this was something special, without significance at all, except to Linda Storm?

She picked up the papers. "Bad news again, I'm afraid, Miller."

"Oh, stop!" He rubbed his forehead. "Hitter! I get so tired of hearing that name. A stupid, tortured egomaniac, driving a world to ruin! I get so tired of whole nations composed of dolls and fools. Brutality dressed up in propaganda is still brutality. Why are they so blind?"

"Now, Daddy," she warned. "You don't want your blood pressure going up, do you?"

"It may as well go up and kill me," he bit off savagely. "If I live, I'll be bombed some day. Not much sense in postponing the agony. Linda, my dear, there's only one thing I have to be profoundly grateful for—and that is, if war comes, your husband will have sense enough to stick to his own war—the only glorious war there is."

Her heart turned over. Her husband. He meant George. She said hastily, "I'll run down and get

you Baker's Tiberius Caesar. That always takes your mind off our times."

"It happens to be our times exactly! Dictators. Julius Caesar was the first dictator, and why can't they remember what happened to him and to the empire he built up?"

SHE was half way to the door. "Linda," he called. "Don't bother about the book." His wise old eyes probed into hers. "I may be sick, but I'm not blind yet. Something's the matter with you. You've lost your bloom. You're not happy."

Her hands curled into tight fists. She had an insistent impulse to put her head on his shoulder, to blurt out the truth. But she couldn't do it. His daughter in love with a naval pilot! After what he had just said.

Bravely, without shrinking from those loving eyes, she lied to her father for the first time in her life. "I've been worrying about you, Daddy. I couldn't bear it if—"

"My, my, my!" came Miss Rourke's cheerful, strident tones. "You're the popular one, Linda Storm! First you get an airmail letter and now look—a telegram."

She tramped into the room on her sensible, broad white oxfords, and handed Linda the yellow envelope with a little flourish. "If I didn't know you had a perfectly good man waiting, I'd think it was a beau, rushing you."

"Telegram?" Daddy was asking swiftly.

Linda bit her lip. "It's from Marcia. She sends wires at the slightest excuse."

Deliberately, she ripped the envelope open. She read one word—the signature. JIMMY. She crumpled the thing up in the palm of her hand. "Yes, that's all. She's remembered something she left out of her letter."

SAFE behind her own locked door, Linda smoothed out Jimmy's wire again. It had been sent from Washington, D. C. It said, FLYING TO QUEENSVILLE TOMORROW. MUST SEE YOU. WILL BE LEAVING TUESDAY TO REPORT FOR DUTY ABOARD RANGER. LOVE.

She could piece the story together now. He had left from Pensacola for Washington. He had reached someone in authority, and gotten what he wanted. But how had he gone over Captain King's head? It must have taken a world of lying. But she had been forced to lie, too.

The thought of him here in Queensville tomorrow, on the day when he was to have become Marcia's husband, set Linda's blood to tingling. Marcia was so

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